direction of the closure body, at least one end face of the closure body being closed off in a sealing manner by an externally accessible cover, each of the lead-in spigots being a pipe tightly fitted on the closure body, each of the optical cable being an optical waveguide minicable or an optical waveguide microcable, respectively having a pipe and waveguides selected from optical waveguides, waveguide strips and optical waveguide bundles loosely introduced into the pipe, said cables being received in the cable lead-in units with the pipe of each spigot engaging the pipe of the optical-fibre cable disposed therein and having a sealing connection of the pipe of the spigot to the pipe of the cable for sealing off the pipe of each cable.--

Claim 2, line 1, change "according to claim 1, wherein" to read --according to claim 73, wherein--.

Claim 3, line 1, change according to claim 1, wherein to read --according to claim 73, wherein--.

Claim 4, line 2, change "1" to read --72--.

Claim 5, line 2, change "1" to read --72--.

Claim 6, fine 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein--.

Claim 7, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein--.

Claim 8, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 9, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the cable" to read --claim 72, wherein the cable--.

Claim 10, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 11, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the cable" to read --claim 72, wherein the cable--.

Claim 12, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 13, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein--.

Claim 14, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 16, line 2, change "claim 1" to read --claim 72--.

Claim 18, line 2, change "claim 1" to read --claim 72--.

Claim 19, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 20, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 21, Tine 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein--.

Claim 22, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.

Claim 24, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein--.

Claim 29, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the cable" to read --claim 72, wherein the cable--.

Claim 30, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein" to read --claim 72, wherein--.

Claim 34, line 2, change "claim 1, wherein the" to read --claim 72, wherein the--.